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Sir:

This paper is submitted in reply to the final Office Action dated October 16, 2006 in the above-identified patent application. The period for response is extended two (2) months, from January 16, 2007, to March 16, 2007, by the attached two-month Petition for Extension of Time. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections in view of the following amendments and remarks.

- I. **Amendment to the Claims** begin on page 2;
- II. The **Remarks** begin on page 7; and
- III. The **Conclusion** begins on page 13.